11-17-06 A Express Mail Label No. EV784675370US Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 166538007US Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/675,911-Conf. #2085 September 29, 2003 M. Jacob 2123 Applicant(s): Patwardhan et al. Invention: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR WATER FLOW ANALYSIS TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims **Highest** Remaining Number Number Previously After **Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 27 29 0 50.00 0.00 Х Independent 3 3 0 200.00 0.00 Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 x Large Entity Small Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 50-0665

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 15, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14 of this paper.